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Victoria, February 11th, 1880.
fe11 W. POLLARD, Secty.

LOWHEE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS COMPANY HAVING BEEN DISSOLVED and the property sold, shareholders will be paid their proportion of the assets on surrender of their Certificates to

CHARLES WILSON.
Barkerville, B. C. Jan 12, 1880. fe8dw1m

WAVERLY HYDRAULIC MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

Location of Works, Grouse Creek, Cariboo.

ASSESSMENT No. 5.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 2nd day of January, 1880, an assessment of Fifty Cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable forthwith to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on 4th day of Febry, 1880, shal be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 10th day of March, 1880, to pay the delinquent assessments, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, B. C., Jan. 3d 1880. ja29dw

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLlowing stock on account of Assessment No. 7 levied on the 3rd day of December, 1879, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respectiv shareholders, as follows:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount
Armstrong, W. W.	408-414	146	29
Alexander, J. J.	610	27	5 40
Alexander, R. H.	641	27	5 40
Brodie, C.	719	33	6 60
Bigelow, D. J.	543	66	13 20
Boyd, J.	769	266	53 20
Bibby, J.	737	233	46 60
Craig, J.	569	100	20 00
Chipp, J.	583-635	132	26 40
Carson, A.	587-8	133	26 60
Cal. Powder Works	697	66	13 20
Clay, S.	764	400	80 00
Charles, Wm.	761	133	26 60
Croasdale, H. E.	763	75	15 00
Cowan, G.	766-9	533	106 60
Dunlevy, P. C.	457-462	332	66 40
Dorman, W. H.	476-486	522	104 40
Duhig, D. D.	529	33	6 60
Dixon, C. W.	530	13	2 60
Dugan, C. E.	694-5	40	8 00
Douglas & Deighton	431	53	10 60
Devlin & Rodenbach	567	147	29 40
Elwyn, T.	778	133	26 60
Fleming, J.	629	100	20 00
Forrest, W.	572-663	266	53 20
Fraser, W.	533-555	150	30 00
Featherstone, H.	741	33	6 60
Goodenow, A. L.	575	133	26 60
Hawks, J. F.	442-456	532	106 40
Hammond, S. W.	464	13	2 60
Henderson, J.	568	66	13 20
Haas Bros.	721	66	13 20
Haley, J.	746-8	132	26 60
Haggerty, M.	751	33	6 60
Harris, B.	777	13	2 60
Jones, W. L.	495, 561-5	333	66 60
Jones, W. M.	641	108	21 60
Johnstone, W. A.	621, 624-7, 710, 735	601	120
Jay, G.	488	66	13 20
Kirkpatrick, L.	712	133	26 60
Lenz, M.	400	10	2 00
Lindsay, A.	216, 580, 762	299	59 80
Lenti, O.	781	133	26 60
Lindsay, D.	734, 762	132	26 40
Morton, C.	559	66	13 20
Moses, W. D.	584	66	13 20
McLeese, R.	596-3, 711	533	106 60
McPhail, A.	628	66	13 20
McDonald, P.	525	133	26 60
McQuade, L.	647-650	100	20 00
Mason, J.	723-732	466	93 20
Nason, I. B.	601-611	967	139 40
O'Neill, C. P.	570	133	26 60
Pratt, D.	574	133	26 60
Polmare, J.	249, 659, 713	266	53 20
Reid, Jas.	516-524	233	46 60
Ross, H.	537-540	200	40 00
Rhodes, H.	637	67	13 40
Smith, Mrs. McB.	463	13	2 60
Stone, J.	358-9	50	10 00
Stevenson, J.	577	637	127 40
Skinner, R. J.	618	66	13 20
Sheridan, W.	630	66	13 20
Truman, G.	469-470	66	13 20
Tuttle, G.	531	40	8 00
Thompson, J. S.	560, 631-3		
do	753-4	900	180 00
Towns, C.	595-9	333	66 60
Woolrock, H.	579, 589	133	26 60
Wrigleswortb, J.	760	13	2 60
Wangenheim & Co.	720	66	13 20
Ward, R. T.	755	13	2 60

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's office Langley street, Victoria, on the 10th day of February, 1880, at 12 noon, to cover assessments due and costs and expenses of sale.

ja4dw W. POLLARD, Secretary.

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NOTICES.

Victoria Battery Garrison Artillery.

A SCHOOL OF ARMS HAS BEEN ESTABLISHed in connection with the Battery. Members desiring to enter the school are requested to give their names and pay their entrance fee to either one of the Provisional Committee of Management, being the officers and non-commissioned officers of the battery.

Members of other corps of the Active Militia can enter the school on special terms. The material necessary for the school has been imported from England. Boxing, Fencing, Single-stick, Broadsword and Bayonet Exercise will be taught. It is hoped all the members of the Battery will become members of the school. On Monday evening next, after lecture, the Permanent Committee of Management will be elected by the votes of those members of the Battery who may have joined the school.

C. T. DUPONT, Captain,
Chairman Provisional Committee.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1879. de12

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE FIRM OF Smith & Matthews are requested to call and settle before the last day of February, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of a collector for collection.

SMITH & MATTHEWS,
Boot and Shoe Makers.
Victoria, Jan. 15th, 1880. ja15

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors and Notaries, under the style of "Robertson & Johnson," is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. A. Rocke Robertson will wind up the joint business. All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to pay their accounts to him without delay.

Victoria, B.C., 10th Jan., 1880.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Ja15 EDWIN JOHNSON.

A LEGAL CARD.

HAVING WITHDRAWN FROM MY RECENT partnership, I beg to inform my friends and clients that I intend to resume business on my own account as a

BARRISTER-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR & NOTARY,

And shall open an office and make other necessary arrangements as soon as possible.

EDWIN JOHNSON.
Victoria, B.C., 15th Jan., 1880. ja15dw

APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ITHIEL Blake Nason, Joseph Mason, William Rennie, Alfred Dow, John Glasson and others, Trustees for a Company about to be incorporated under the name of the "Waverly Hydraulic Mining Company, Limited," will apply at the ensuing session of the Provincial Legislature for an Act granting to them and their assigns the right to take, divert and use one thousand inches of the water of Antler Creek, to be taken from a point between Sawmill Flat and the old town of Antler, and to be conveyed in ditches and flumes along Antler Creek and to the mining ground of the Waverly Company on Grouse Creek, including the waters of the creeks and ravines along the line of the ditch. Also, for the right to take, divert and use one thousand inches of the water of Grouse Creek, to be taken from a point above the Waverly ground, and to be conveyed to the said ground; and for rights of way for the conveyance of all such waters; all such waters to be used for mining purposes, and the rights to be granted for a term of fifty years.

Dated 22nd January, A.D. 1880.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
ja23 2m Solicitors for the Applicants.

APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ITHIEL Blake Nason, Joseph Mason, William Rennie, William Forrest and Charles Wilson will apply at the ensuing session of the Provincial Legislature for an Act of Parliament granting to them and their assigns the right to divert and use five thousand inches of water, to be taken from the Little Cariboo Lake or the North Branch of the Quesnel River, or from both sources, at a point at or near the locality where the waters of the said Lake fall into the said North Branch of the Quesnel River, including the right to take, divert and use the waters of Spanish Creek, all such waters so appropriated to be conveyed in ditches and flumes along the hills, banks and benches of the said North Branch of the said River to a point on the said North Branch ten miles below the outlet of the said Lake, and for the right to construct such ditches and flumes along the said hills, banks and benches, with liberty to extend the said ditches and flumes and the conveyance of the said waters along the whole length of the said North Branch to the Main Quesnel River, and for rights of way for the said ditches and flumes and conveyance of the said waters, such privileges to be granted for a term of fifty years, the water to be used for mining purposes and the grantees and their assigns to have the right of sale of the water.

Dated 10th December, 1879.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
de11dw Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE APplication for the waters of Spanish Creek is hereby withdrawn.

Dated 22nd January, 1880.
ja23dw DAVIE & POOLEY.

THE ABOVE NAMED APPLICANTS WILL FURther apply for the right to extend the ditches and conveyance of water along the main Quesnel river to such points as may be desirable, and give notice that the bank of the North Branch along which it is intended to take the water is the Right bank.

Dated 2nd February, 1880.
fe3 DAVIE & POOLEY.

NOTICE

In the Estate of James Burns, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and any persons who have claims against the said Estate are required to forward the same on or before the 20th day of April next to Mr. Joseph Dwyer, of Victoria, the Executor, or to

MESSRS. DAVIE & POOLEY,
Langley street, Victoria, Solicitors to the Executor.
Dated Victoria, 20th January, 1880. ja21dw

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER

OF THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLumbia, in Equity, made in the matter of the Estate of HENRY RHODES and in a cause *Naylor vs. Jackson and als.*, the creditors of HENRY RHODES, late of Victoria, in British Columbia, Merchant, who died on or about the 8th day of November, 1878, are, on or before the 18th day of March, 1880, to send by post prepaid to J. C. Prevost, Esq., Supreme Court House, Victoria, British Columbia, their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Henry S. Mason, Esquire, of Victoria, has been appointed Receiver of the said Estate, and all persons having any of the effects or moneys of the said Estate in their possession, custody or power, are to deliver or pay the same to him forthwith.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1879.
ROBERTSON & JOHNSON,
de18 Plaintiff's Solicitors, Langley St., Victoria.

NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE EXCEPTIONAL state of the weather, the prices of HAY and TURNIPS as advertised by the undersigned on the 25th December, are at present date withdrawn, with the exception of contracts already undertaken.

Prices still exceedingly moderate; but largely dependent upon quantity taken and distance to be delivered.

THOMAS LEE,
Crofter's Dairy Farm.
January 11th, 1880. ja11

In the Matter of David Heal, an Insolvent.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THIS ESTATE are hereby notified that the amounts due by them must be paid at the office of J. R. ANDERSON, Langley street, or at my office in Yates street.

THOS. H. TYE,
Trade Assignee.
Victoria, B.C., 16th Jan., 1880. ja17

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the late firm of John Goodacre & Co. are requested to present the same for settlement; and all who are indebted to the said firm are requested to pay their indebtedness forthwith. All accounts remaining unpaid after the 30th day of this month will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.

JOHN GOODACRE & CO.
Jan. 3rd, 1880. ja4 1m

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A "NARROW GAUGE" IDEA.

Have our Westminster contemporaries parted with their senses? Their ravings on the subject of direct mail communication with the Mainland are pitiful to hear. Last week the *Herald* leaped into the polemical arena with a proposition to subsidize big ocean-going steamers drawing 19 and 20 feet of water to cross the sand-heads and Ladner's bar and land freight and passengers on the wharf at New Westminster. This plan was proposed to avoid the necessity of double handling freight destined for Emory—once at Victoria and again at Westminster. To meet the objection we proposed that a class of steamers should be put on the route from Victoria to Emory which would render the handling of goods at Westminster unnecessary. Thereupon the *Herald*—after the fashion of the naughty bird that puts its nest to a bad use—proceeds to decry as highly dangerous the navigation between Victoria and Fraser River. Notwithstanding the fact that for twenty-two years almost light draught steamboats, with two or three stories of gingerbread tophamper, on hulls that were not built for the sea, have performed the service, the *Herald* has suddenly discovered that the navigation can only be accomplished by steamships of the class of the Dakota. All the indignation the *Herald* may expend or the untruths it may utter on the subject will not scoop a spoonful of sand out of the channel or make the splendid waterway between Victoria and the Sandheads one whit more dangerous. Turning from the *Herald's* vaporings we pick up the more sedate *Guardian*, and find—don't smile, reader!—a proposition to build a narrowgauge railway from Burrard Inlet to New Westminster to enable shipping to discharge freight destined for Emory at the firstnamed port into cars, which are then to be whisked across the narrowgauge railway aforementioned to Westminster and the freight placed again into steamers and conveyed to Emory! Of a verity may it be asserted that the Westminster editors have gone clean daft—the only glimmer of sense that we are enabled to detect in the columns of either being the candid admission of the *Guardian* that the class of vessels required for the ocean service cannot be taken over the Sandheads. This admission naturally knocks the *Herald's* argument to pieces, and he will either have to adopt his more candid and sagacious contemporary's "narrowguage" idea or retire entirely from the contest. Bars and Sandheads, like facts, are stubborn things, Messrs. Editors.

OCEAN AND RIVER SIGNALS.

All the maritime nations, including the United States and Canada, have agreed to adopt and cause to be put in force the new system of ocean and river signaling and rules of road at sea which have just been promulgated in England by an order in council: "Besides the usual colored lights, a steamer discerning another steamer or sailing vessel in sight has to sound with steam whistle or fog horn a short blast which will mean 'I am directing my course to starboard; two short blasts will signifiy 'I am directing my course to port,' and three short blasts, 'I am going full speed astern.' In fog, mist or falling snow the signals are to be repeated every two minutes, a prolonged blast indicating that the vessel is under way: an ordinary blast that the vessel from which it proceeds is on the starboard tack; two blasts in succession, 'I am on the port tack,' and three blasts in succession, the wind abaft the beam. A vessel in fog, not under way, has to ring the bell every two minutes. Concurrent with the foregoing are ocean signals." The proper authorities are also preparing rules of road, which are to take effect on British and foreign ships entering the river Thames. Heretofore many collisions have occurred from misconceptions and inadequate signaling, and also from want of uniformity among different nations in respect to rules of the road. The general order now agreed upon promises to do much toward averting disasters which, from the great increase in the commercial steam marine of late years, have only become too frequent.

THE NEW SYSTEM OF EDUCATION.

The "Quincy System" has been given a trial in one of the Boston primary schools and thorough success was the result. A writer in the *Herald*, of Boston, says that in a few months the little ones, many of whom did not know their letters, have learned to read and write correctly, not only in printed text-books, but in script. They also do sums in simple arithmetic with remarkable facility. In a class of sixty, all of them under seven years of age, there were at least forty whose chirography was better than that of the average graduates of our grammar and high schools, and there was only one whose work did not show the possession of the faculty of observation and form that goes to make the first-class penman. A quantity of sentences written upon slips of paper were then distributed from a box, each pupil selecting one, and they were read without difficulty or hesitation by all the pupils in turn. They displayed, also, a very ready and practical knowledge of arithmetic.

BELITTLING FRANCE.

The French *amour propre* has been wofully wounded by a paper recently written for the *Positivist Review* by Emil Littre, the celebrated philologist, in which he takes the ground that France has become a second-class power. The only three first-class powers now in Europe, he says, are Germany, Russia and England. He urges the French people to accept the situation, to relinquish the idea of European territorial extension, and to direct their minds to building up their present colonies, and acquiring new ones in Africa, or elsewhere, after the manner of England. He blames the Napoleonic system for the present weakness of France, and substantiates his unpalatable views by arguments not easily overthrown. The article has excited general indignation in France, especially among the reactionary factions.

Trout Fishing.

ESQUIMALT, Feb. 13, 1880.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIST:—SIR.—"Wing-shot's" statement as to the limited use of salmon-roe for fresh-water fishing about here is as incorrect as the parallel which he attempts to draw between bait-fishing and pot-shooting is ridiculous.

As a proof of the former I have only to refer him to the filthy state in which, from the use of this and herring-bait, the boats on the lakes, without exception, are left after a public holiday. With regard to the quanity of fish destroyed by using salmon roe as a bait I would just mention that in the latter part of October last two boys fishing in this manner on Prospect Lake caught in a very short time 43 trout, near all of which showed evident signs of being full of spawn. This is not at all an isolated case, as "Wing Shot," if he took the trouble to inquire, would probably discover.

Possibly, however, in attacking this mode of fishing I may have trodden on one of "Wing Shot's" softest corns; if so, let him acknowledge the corn, but not endeavour to defend a malpractice by the feeblest of all arguments—*tu quoque*.

If "Wing Shot" would set himself to work to procure a more efficient protection of ground and winged game, and thus put a stop to hunting and shooting out of season, and the wholesale destruction of quail by netting at all times, which goes on under his very nose, he would confer a greater benefit on the sporting community than by penning such letters as that of yesterday.

As regards the use of dynamite in lakes, I have to remark only that I was unaware that such an atrocious system of killing fish was practised; but, if persons so devoid of all ideas of fair-play can be found to resort to such means it is evident that a greater necessity than ever exists for the protection of our lakes and streams by the law.

A FLY-FISHERMAN.

Canadian Mail.

[Per Steamer Isabel.]

The City Council to-night formally accepted the plans and tender of the Toronto Bridge Co. for the proposed railway and traffic bridge across the Red River. The bridge is to be four spans with a central revolving section. The price is to be $164,000. The contractors are allowed four days to deposit the required security. It is understood the contract was awarded to the lowest tender.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 27.—A telegram from Sydney, C. B., to night, says:—Kavanagh, late publisher of the *Express* of that place, and clerk in the Savings Bank, who lately disappeared mysteriously, and who by his acts tried to leave the impression of having committed suicide by drowning, has been driven from his hiding place. He was concealed in a house of a friend in Sydney, and could see the people grappling in the harbour for his body. Last week, he made good his escape to St. Peters, C.B. A constable pursued him, and found that he was concealed in a merchant's store there. The building was watched, but, notwithstanding, two men took him from his hiding place at midnight, and, rushing past, carried Kavanagh to a boat, when he made his escape to Isle Madame, Richmond county. Kavanagh is said to be a defaulter to the Savings bank to the amount of $10,000.

BRANTFORD, Jan. 26.—On Saturday evening a number of the members of West Brantford Methodist Church had assembled to hold prayer meeting. While they were engaged in prayer a Miss Clinch entered the church and walked quietly to where Mr. Broadway was kneeling caught hold of him by the hair of his head and hit him several times in the face, when three gentlemen present took hold of her and put her out. It is supposed that Miss Clinch is labouring under an hallucination. She fancies that Mr. Broadway wants to marry her, but no cause is assigned for the attack. Mr. Broadway has not given her any cause to suppose that he thinks more of her than of any other member of the congregation. Mr. Broadway is not a regularly ordained preacher, but has been filling the position for some time. He is a student attending the Brantford Collegiate Institute, and from Woodstock.

Dr. Joseph Clarke, of Pugwash, Cumberland county, accidentally poisoned himself last night by taking carbolic acid, and died in an hour afterwards.

[Per steamship City of Chester].

TORONTO, Feb. 30.—It has just transpired that three people from the vicinity of London, Ont., were on the train that went down with the Tay bridge. A man named Robert Watson, a moulder, of London East, and his two sons.

Lt.-Gov. Cauchon of Manitoba was married this morning at Chicago to Miss Le Moine, daughter of Hon. De St. Denis Le Moine, Clerk of the Canadian Senate.

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—The number of private bills to come up next session of the Dominion Parliament is almost one third larger than last year.

The Nova Scotia Legislature has been summoned to meet for the despatch of business on Thursday, February 26th.

It is understood that the Montreal Telegraph Company has received official notification to reduce its cable rates to 12½ cents per word to France and the Continent, the first of the next month.

MONTREAL, Feb. 2.—The estimated revenue of the city last year was $1,570,000, and the actual collections $1,519,876.51.

This afternoon Messrs. Abbott, Tait, Wotherspoon & Abbott, representing the Windsor Hotel Company, took out an action in ejectment against James Worthington for $23,000 unpaid rent.

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.—L. P. French, Post Office Inspector, has made an enquiry into the charges against Mr. Surtees, postmaster of that place. The charges are the abstraction of money from letters, opening of letters, and general negligence in attending to the Post Office business.

QUEBEC, Feb. 6.—All travel and traffic on the Levis and Kennebec railway are stopped, the old Board of Directors refusing to recognize the new Board chosen at the annual meeting by English bondholders.

OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—About 2,000 persons assembled at the depot this evening for the purpose of welcoming Her Royal Highness on her return to the Capital. A guard of honor of fifty men with the Queen's colors from the Governor-General's Foot Guards were in waiting, as were also the Dragoon Guards. A detachment of the Field Battery, under command of Captain Stewart, stationed at Nepean Point, fired the royal salute as the train came in sight. On the arrival, the Ministers of the Crown and the Mayor entered the car and shook hands with His Excellency and Her Royal Highness, after which they moved out to the platform, where Mayor Mackintosh read an address of welcome, to which His Excellency replied in behalf of the Princess. Cheers were then given and the vice-regal party drove to Rideau Hall, escorted by the Dragoon Guards.

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New Westminster, Jan. 1st, 1880. fe15

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The undersigned have received instructions from

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SUNDAYS—Testing line, 8 A. M.
Sending and Receiving Messages, 9 A. M. to 10 A. M.

WEEK DAYS—Testing line, 8 A. M.
Sending and Receiving Messages, 9 A. M. to 12 M., 1 to 6 P. M.

The Tariff as revised by Order in Council dated 22d December, 1879, will come into operation on the 1st March next.

B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Dept., Resident Engineer.
Victoria, B.C., 12th Feb., 1880. fe13tap1

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TWENTY GOOD MILCH COWS—Apply to
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$25 REWARD.

THE ABOVE REWARD IS OFFERED BY THE undersigned for information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of any party or parties stealing coal, candles or other articles from the Engine Houses occupied by the Victoria Fire Department.

CHARLES J. PHILLIPS,
Chief Engineer V.F.D.
Victoria, Jan. 28th. ja29

NOTICE.

HAVING LEASED MY STORE, CORNER OF Pandora and Douglas streets, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and the public for past favors, and would ask for a continuance of the same for my successors, S. SHORE & CO.

The Bakery business will be carried on as usual by me in the back premises facing Pandora street, and all outstanding accounts must be paid by the 9th of next month, or I shall be compelled to hand them over to a collector.

MRS. THOMAS HODGES.
January 23th, 1880. ja29

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LECTURE.

MR. F. BAILEY

WILL LECTURE AT CENTRAL HALL FOR five successive Sundays, commencing Sunday, Jan. 18th, 1880, at 3 p. m. Subject—"The Necessity of a Second Reformation," pointing out the defects of the former.
Victoria, Jan. 17th, 1880. ja17

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THE BILLIARD ROOM IN CONNECTION WITH

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WILL BE OPENED ON

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fe1 JOHN WILSON.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as proprietors of the St. Charles Hotel and St. Charles Hall, in the City of Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on by Julius V. Wangenheim, who has purchased the interest of the said Daniel McKenzie therein. All debts due from the partnership will be paid by Julius V. Wangenheim, and all debts due to the firm will be collected by him.

JULIUS V. WANGENHEIM.
DAN. McKENZIE.
Witness—A. ROCKE ROBERTSON. fe5

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CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRE TO RETURN their sincere thanks to the Fire Department, Police and Citizens for successful efforts to save their property from destruction by fire this morning.

VIGELIUS BROS.
Feb. 5, 1880. fe6

THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED TENDERS HIS SINCERE thanks to the Fire Department, Police and Citizens for their valuable aid in preventing the destruction of his property by fire this morning.

JOHN WENGER,
Government treet.
Feb. 5th, 1880. fe6

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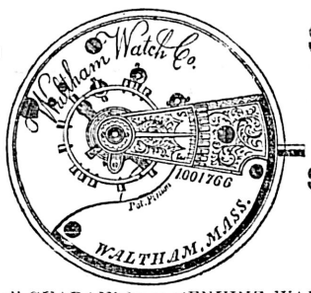

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The undersigned beg to mention that they have just received per steamship Empire the largest and finest invoice of Boots and Shoes ever imported into the Province, which they will sell at

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Parties desiring Custom-made Boots will do well to examine our stock. Gents' Boots and Shoes of all descriptions made to order; also, Ladies' and Children's.

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WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, 31st January, 1880. fe1

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The above business having been entrusted to me for disposal, I am now offering the Stock of

MEN'S CLOTHING OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

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AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!

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R. C. JANION

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS REmoved to his own premises on

STORE STREET,

Recently occupied by Messrs. Henry Rhodes & Co., where his business will in future be conducted.
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HAVING REMOVED TO THE FINE BRICK Building lately occupied by MRS. HODGES,

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Will continue business, selling at the LOWEST MARKET PRICES.

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Goods Delivered Free to all parts of the City.
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FONG GEE HAS SOLD ALL HIS INTEREST IN the business carried on at Lillooet, Province of British Columbia, to LAY FOO, who will pay all debts due by YEE SING CO. and will receive all debts due the same up to date. The business will in future be carried on under the name of YEE SING CO.

FONG GEE,
LAY FOO.
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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, 15TH, 1880.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb. 14—None

CLEARED.

Feb. 14—Str Isabel, Pt Townsend

FOREIGN PORTS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

San Francisco, Feb. 12—Arrived — Ship Young America and Schs Reporter and Excelsior, Seattle; bk Lizzie Lamore, Utsalady; ship Warhawk, Port Discovery. Sailed—Brig North Star, Port Townsend; bk Kenang, Burrard Inlet.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmp CITY OF CHESTER, fm San Francisco—S J Pitts, J Rawley, S B Matthews, J J Shuhan, L Malatesta, S Martin, Miss Springer, J Sale, N Beaton, D Gunn, Geo Hardy, Geo Carson, J Mullitto, C Kittrup, John Doe, and 1 Chinaman.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp CITY OF CHESTER, fm San Francisco—A Bunster, A Bossi & Co, A B Gray & Co, A & W Wilson, B&Co, C Strouss & Co, C in dia, Cameron & Ross, D Withrow, D in dia, E C Hughes, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, Fell & Co, G A McTavish, H Mitchell & Co, HSM, H in dia, Hy Mansell, H C Wilson, H Saunders, J Cameron, J in dia, J Heywood, J Rueff & Co, J W Hennessy, J Miller, J Cunningham, J H Todd, Langley & Co, L Stemmler, L Malatesta, L in dia, McKenzie & Meston, E Marvin, Matthews, Richards & Tye, Mrs E Levy, M W Waitt & Co, Goodacre & Dooley, N A Fuller, Neil McPhee, P T Johnston & Co, Peter McQuade & Son, P Annaund, R in dia, R Maynard, Rickman & Ofner, Spofford Sons, S Martin, S J Pitts, Thos Shotbolt, Turner, Beeton & Co, T in dia, Thos Fletcher, Thos Carrington, T N Hibben & Co, Welch, Rithet & Co, W G Norris, W R Lewis, W Allen, Wells, Fargo & Co.

MARRIED.

On Thursday, Feb. 12th, by the Rev. H. H. Mogg, at the residence of the bride's parents, William Veitch, Esq., to Miss Susannah Porter.

AUCTION SALES TO-MORROW.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, the Inverness Cannery, including Buildings, Boats, etc., and everything for carrying on a first class fishery.

TO BUSINESS MEN!

THE COLONIST has more than double the Circulation of any other Paper published in Victoria, and is the only Publication in the Province that receives Telegraphic Dispatches.

The Yale-Savona Contracts.

The Toronto *Globe* of recent date has a long article on the transfer of the railway contracts to Onderdonk & Co. It says that the firm will wield a large political influence in British Columbia, and is of opinion that the four contracts should not have got into one set of hands. The Ottawa correspondent of the same journal writing on the 29th ult. announces positively that the firm of Messrs. Onderdonk & Co. have completed the purchase of the four contracts. The sums paid for the tenders are believed to be about as follows:—Sections A and C, Messrs. A. P. McDonald & Co., $50,000, or $5,000 each to the ten men comprising the firm; section B, Messrs. Goodwin, Smith & Co., $80,000; and section D, Messrs. Kavanagh & Co., $15,000. In relation to sections A and C, awarded to Messrs. A. P. McDonald & Co., of Montreal, it is learned that these men actually gave the Government as security for the due performance of the work a certificate of deposit bearing the face value of $238,000. This the Government accepted, but after doing so learned that the cashier of the bank which had issued the certificate was to be remunerated for so doing, and that the only real deposit in the bank to the credit of the contractors was a sum of about $15,000 or $16,000. The discovery of this circumstance somewhat embarrassed the contractors, and is claimed to account for the comparatively small amount of the consideration given them for their interest in the tender. Messrs. Goodwin & Smith, while desirous like all other contractors of making a few thousand dollars easily, were, or at least the former was, in a position to hold out; therefore they received, after a long and tedious negotiation, a larger sum than the former. Messrs. Kavanagh & Co., who were awarded the contract for section D, are not persons competent to perform the work. This circumstance causes them to be generally branded with the suspicion of having tendered merely with the hope of being bought out. They were paid $5,000 down, $5,000 at three months, and $5,000 at six months. As if to enable these people to sell advantageously, the Minister of Railways extended three or four times the time in which the deposit of security for the work was to be made, and during the last extension the contract was sold. For the four contracts about $150,000 have been paid, or promised to be paid. The correspondent facetiously mentions a funny rumor that one of the firm of Onderdonk & Co. is president of a Chinese company with 60,000 Chinese at his beck, whom he intends, like another Moses, to lead to the Promised Land of British Columbia!

THE gale which prevailed from the southwest on Friday night was the most furious experienced here for several years. Ornamental trees and shrubbery were uprooted in various parts of the city, large sheets of tin were lifted from roofs and whirled to the ground as if they were shingles, pendant sign boards swayed to and fro causing an unearthly creaking which, combined with the shrill shrieks of the wind, rendered a discord utterly diabolical. At Esquimalt a large shed situate on one of the wharves was blown down, and the British ship Kinross dragged her anchors for a considerable distance, but was fortunately brought up before any damage had been sustained. In the suburbs numerous fences were demolished and in the course of a few days damage to shipping on the coast will doubtless be reported.

THE KAMLOOPS OUTLAWS.—It is now announced that the Crown has notified Mr. Bole, counsel for the McLean brothers and Hare, the Kamloops outlaws, that application will be made tomorrow in the Supreme Court to fix the place of trial of the prisoners at New Westminster instead of at this city or Kamloops.

SKAGETERS, ATTENTION!—Heavy Grey Witney Blankets, Oregon Flannel Underwear, Heavy Knit Socks, Waterproof Rugs, Knitted Scarfs, &c., &c., for sale cheap at the White House. *

OPENING THE WAGONROAD. — On the 9th inst. the Government began the work of opening the road from Yale to Spuzzem (Suspension Bridge). The weather on that date was mild and open.

CONDITION OF STOCK ON THE MAINLAND.

Cattle Dying Rapidly.

Advices received here from Nicola Valley dated the 30th ult. state that the weather continues very severe and cattle are dying off rapidly. A short time previous to the date of our information a thaw, accompanied by rain, set in, but it was only of short duration, being followed by frost and a snow storm which lasted for three consecutive days. As a rule the supply of feed is altogether inadequate to the requirements of stock owners and it is feared that the loss of cattle will be very heavy. A rough estimate places the number of cattle in the valley at some 3,000. Chas. Beak has over 2,000 head on the upper Nicola, about three miles from Douglas Lake, and is almost without hay. Guichon has at least 2,000 head, and is better off than his neighbors as regards feed. Palmer, one of the witnesses in the Kamloops murder cases, who is present in this city awaiting the pleasurement, and convenience of the Government, has 200 head, 20 of which perished from exposure in the course of a few days. Since then it is feared they will doubtless suffer severely and affairs at Kamloops are stated that the condition of stock at Nicola. Meadows is even worse than at Kamloops, however, this, however, Van Volkenburgh, how-ever, of this city, received a letter from T. Harper yesterday stating that he had visited Kamloops and found the situation less serious than had expected.

How the Oregonians Settle their Land.

In the English newspapers appears the following advertisement, which would be too much, of course, to expect our Government to take action of a similar nature or to allow any company to do so.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Excellent land may be obtained from this company in farm lots of 640 acres, at rents varying from 2s to 5s per acre, with option of purchasing the freehold at prices varying from £1 to £ per acre, according to situation.

These lands are situated in the State of Oregon, U.S.A., and lie between the Willamette Valley and the Pacific Ocean, and through them a railway is now in course of construction from Corvallis to the sea.

The soil is of unsurpassed fertility, and this combined with a climate very similar to that of the South of England, renders this spot one of the most favorable in the world for the growth of all kinds of cereals, root crops, fruit, &c.

Two Directors of this Company are resident in Oregon.

Full information and descriptive pamphlet (with extracts of report of Professor Moseley, of the late Challenger expedition), forwarded on application to the Secretary, 3, Queen street, Cheapside, London, E.C.

NEW WESTMINSTER ITEMS. — John Phillips, a packer, known by the *sobriquet* of Oregon John, arrived from Clinton on Thursday last. He is supposed to be of unsound mind and was lodged in the Lunatic Asylum for treatment....Building is going ahead rapidly and as soon as residents are erected in the suburbs they find occupants. Rents have an upward tendency....The badges won in last season's firing by members of the Seymour Artillery were presented by Mrs. Dickinson, wife of His Worship the Mayor, at the drill on Monday evening. The winners of the badges were Sergt. Brown and Gunners McNaughten and Reid....The machinery at De Beck Bros' sawmill, Sapperton, got out of order on Thursday morning. The connecting rod was broken, the cylinder head burst out and the whole establishment was rendered useless. A telegram was at once sent to Victoria for the new machinery rendered necessary by the accident....The barkentine Amelia sailed into Burrard Inlet under full canvas and dropped her anchor near Hastings mill wharf.

ARRIVAL OF THE MAIL STEAMER.—The steamship City of Chester, Capt. Polemann, arrived at Esquimalt at 7 o'clock last evening. She left San Francisco on Tuesday last at noon, having on board 93 passengers, 23 bags of mail matter, 92 tons of freight, and 200 sheep for Messrs. Goodacre & Dooley, of this city. During the first two days out she experienced heavy gales from the north-west, accompanied by a rough sea. On Thursday last the weather moderated, the wind being light from the south. During Friday and yesterday, however, the full fury of strong gales from the south-west was encountered, the sea being exceedingly rough until the Straits were reached. On Thursday morning at half-past 11 o'clock the steamship Dakota, bound for San Francisco, was met. Names of passengers and consignees will be found under the usual headings.

PUMPED OUT.—The tank at the intersection of Government and Yates streets, containing about 14,000 gallons of water, was pumped out in an hour and thirty-five minutes by the Deluge steam engine yesterday morning. The interior wood work was then inspected by the Street Committee and it was found that four feet below the surface the timbers were quite rotten; but where they had been immersed for years past they were perfectly sound. As a precaution against fire the Chief Engineer had the tank filled up again last evening.

MARINE. — The Bolivian bark Don Nicolas, bound for Departure Bay for a cargo of Wellington coal for San Francisco, arrived from that port yesterday and will be towed up by the steamer Pilot to-day....The American barkentine L. R. Burnham arrived at Port Townsend from San Francisco yesterday morning. The steamer Beaver will cross over today and tow her up to Hastings Mill, Burrard Inlet, where she will load lumber for Sydney, Australia——The steamer Pilot left Departure Bay yesterday morning, having in tow the ship Ericsson laden with Wellington coal for San Francisco.

HARDSHIPS OF A REPAIRER.—We have been shown a letter from a telegraph line repairer who was out on duty during and after the great snow storm in January. He was exposed for many hours and when at last, worn out and hungry, he reached a house he found that the roof had been crushed in by the weight of snow, and he was forced to retrace his steps or perish. He walked 20 miles more the same night with the thermometer 38 degrees below zero, and has since been laid up from the effects of the exposure.

ONTARIO ESTIMATES.—The Government of Ontario askes for $2,288,632 07 for the current year. Of this sum $496,980 will be spent on education; $49,950 on immigration; and on civil government $175,297.

CORSETS.—The improved Columbia, full assortment in White and Drab; usual price, $1.25, reduced to 87½c. P pair at the White House. *

Meeting of the Legislature.

At the last moment previous to the issue of the *Gazette* yesterday the Government changed their intention of calling the House for dispatch of business early in March, and extended the time *pro forma* to the 1st of March. This sudden change of intention is attributed to the receipt of a telegram from "Sir Anthony," who will not tear himself away from the gaieties of the Federal Capital until about the 20th inst. He is represented in letters as having a jolly time. Although the dignity of knighthood had not been conferred upon him at latest reports, people had begun to apply the title so as to get their mouths into good practice in anticipation of the event.

A SHORT CUT TO SKAGET.—A party will leave Chilliwhack in the course of a few days to open a trail from that settlement to the Skaget river mines. The obstacles to be encountered will be few and for a considerable distance it will only be necessary to cut out the brush which has overgrown a trail in existence some years since. The land travel will not exceed 40 miles and on either side of the trail an abundance of feed for pack animals is to be found. By the adoption of this route the trip to the mines will be made from New Westminster within three days. There are no mountains to climb and no rivers to ford and horses either for packing or riding can be obtained at reasonable prices at Chilliwhack. The residents of that settlement are exerting themselves with commendable energy to secure the bulk of the trade which is sure to result from the influx of miners seeking their fortunes in the new *el dorado* on Ruby Creek.

NANAIMO.—The subscriptions to the new hospital fund amount to $606.50.... The bark Cassandra Adams, in tow of the steamer Beaver, arrived at Departure Bay on Wednesday; the ship Blue Jacket, in tow of the Pilot, and the ship Topgallant in tow of the American tug Blakely arrived at the same place on Thursday. All will load Wellington coal....The *Free Press* advocates an increased subsidy for the east coast mail steamers, so as to allow of more frequent communication with Victoria, New Westminster and Comox.

R. E. CHURCH.—Music for to-day: Morning Service—Op. Vol., My Heart ever Faithful, by J. S. Bach; Venite 21; Psalms, single, 75; Te Deum 34; Benedicts 4; Hymns 11, 563, 546. Closing Vol., March of the Silver Trumpets, by E. F. Rimbault. Evening Service—Op. Vol., Andante on Variazioni, by Ignace Pleyel; Psalms, single, 78; Cantate 1, Deus 24; Hymn 34, 156, 15; Closing Vol. Triumph Mah, by Adolf Shultze. E. J. DURNY, Organist.

THE oldest paper uninterrupted publication in the United States in the Hartford *Courant*, which has already attained the hoary age of 116 years. In regard to its last birthday it plaintively says: "We believe that, with the already announced death of a New Hampshire paper recently at the age of 116, we are left in a condition of isolation. The last of our early contemporaries is gone."

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Princess Louise arrived here at half-past 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from New Westminster with the mainland mails and express and the following passengers: Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Goodacre, Miss Peers, W. D. Ferris, J. Sehl, H. DeBeck, J. McKee, J. Cochrane, A. Barnford, A. Boyd and J. Beef.

DEATH AT NICOLA.—Albert Anderson, a young man who went to Nicola Valley from this city in November last for the benefit of his health, died there of consumption on the 21st ult. The deceased came to this Province from San Francisco, where his friends reside.

ALHAMBRA HALL.—It is reported that Van Volkenburgh & Co. have purchased Alhambra Hall for $9,000, and that the lower part of the building will be used for the purposes of a market. The hall stands on leased ground with 14 years to run.

REV. MR. JENNS' LECTURE at St. John's schoolhouse drew a large attendance The experiments were of a very interesting character and the lucid description by the lecturer enabled the most unscientific mind to grasp the subject in its minutest details.

THE steamer Maude, with grain from Saanich and the following passengers, arrived at 3½ o'clock yesterday afternoon: Miss L. Taylor, Rev. J. Hall, J. C. Bales, H. C. Wilson, Willis, Anderson and Read.

NN ADVANCE IN PRICE OF DRY GOODS at the White House. See advertisement in this morning's issue. The White House is the first to announce goods suitable for the Skaget mines.

NEW WESTMINSTER has been proclaimed a port with Mr. James A. Halliday of that city as harbormaster. This is a very proper proceeding, and a very good appointment.

A CLOSE RACE.—The steamship Victoria, 10 miles ahead of the steamship Hylton Castle, was met by the City of Chester one day out from San Francisco.

POLICE COURT.—No business was transacted at this Court yesterday, the argument in the Chinese gambling cases having been postponed until to-morrow.

COMFORTABLE.—The Boulevard Spoon Busk Sidelace perfect fitting Sateen Corsets, all sizes in White and Grey, for sale at the White House. *

NOTEWORTHY.—Fine Twilled Flannel Shirts of underwear for $2.50 the Suit at the White House. *

NEW J. P.—R. H. Pidcock, Esq., of Comox, is gazetted a justice of the peace.

THE icejam, 25 miles below Hope, continues with no signs of departure.

BROWN & WHITE, importers of Dry-goods, have just received a large addition to their stock, viz., Cashmeres in the newest shades, Trimming Silks, Satins and Velvets to match. A full assortment of mourning goods, comprising Patent and All Silk Crapes, Baratheas, Cashmeres, Paramattas, Drap De Russe, De Cosse Cloth, French Merinos, Twills, &c., Silk Fringes, Gimps, Tassels, and Trimmings in new styles. Lace Curtains and real Crochet Antimacassers, very cheap. Alpaca and Silk Umbrellas in great variety. * BROWN & WHITE, Government St.

SHORE & Co., the family grocers, corner Douglas and Cormorant streets, have removed to the brick premises of Mrs. Hodges, corner of Douglas and Pandora streets. A large stock of choice goods always on hand. *

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Morning Dispatch.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The *Herald* names as a committee to distribute its Irish relief fund, Col. King Harmon, M. P., Mr. Shaw, M. P., Prof. Baldwin, Cardinal McCloskey and Mr. Parnell. The Cardinal at first declined to serve, but has since reconsidered his declination and now consents. Parnell also declined. The *Herald* hopes that he will reconsider his decision. An editorial upon the subject in this morning's *Herald* concludes: "We offer Mr. Parnell such a committee as he thinks desirable, naming himself a member of it. If he again declines the verdict of the American people will be that Parnell's object is not relief for his starving countrymen, but selfish agitation for his political and personal aggrandizement, and that he is not only an obstructionist in his own country, but an obstructionist to charity here. If he deliberately puts himself in this position the American people will think it about time he ends his farce."

Mrs. Tweed, widow of the late Wm. M. Tweed, died to-day at Paris.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—In the Lower House of the Prussian Diet the remainder of the budget bills passed their second reading.

The *North German Gazette*, in an article on British politics, expresses the opinion that in the next general election in Great Britain the Liberals will pay dearly for leagueing with the Irish.

It is reported on fair authority that a special alliance is about to be concluded between England, Germany and Austria.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—Blanc's motion for plenary amnesty was rejected, 313 to 115.

RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13.—General Skobeloff's appointment is said to have been decided upon by his having proposed to conduct the campaign against Tekke Turcomans without going to Merv, thus avoiding possible complications with England.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—An election for member of Parliament at Barnstable, to-day, resulted as follows: Lord Lymington, Liberal, 817; Sir Robt. Cargen, Conservative, 721.

Rev. Alex. Keith, the translator and author, is dead.

THE MONARCH OF BURMAH.

He Graciously Grants an Interview to a Party of Englishmen.

Theebau has displayed an amount of common sense which nobody believed him capable of possessing. He has granted an interview to the manager of the Irrawaddy Flotilla Company and five other English gentlemen. More than that, he offered the interview himself. Mr. Swan and his party had asked for an audience when they passed up through Mandelay to Bhamo, but were told that such a distinction was not to be had for the asking. They were, therefore, considerably astonished when, on their return, they were told officially that if they wished to interview his Majesty he would be graciously pleased to receive them. The royal offer was, of course, accepted. At the palace the party were met by Chevalier Andreiho, Italian Consul, acting on this occasion as interpreter, in conjunction with the Pangyet Wood, who speaks English and Italian. Having passed through the Taga nee, the red gate into the inner palace inclosure they quickly arrived at the big flight of steps, on each of which stand the two great gilded cannon. Before ascending the steps they had to put off their shoes. The shoes being relinquished, our party mounted the steps, made in the usual Burmese fashion, very low and very wide—too low to be comfortable in ascending one at a time, and too wide to allow of two being taken in at once. At the head of the staircase and stretching under the gilded colonnade, were ranged in double line, a regiment of Burmese braves, with their bayonets fixed. Now commenced the second trial. It is difficult to look about and see things and at the same time avoid treading on nails projecting through the planking. The object of the nails is shrewd and peculiarly characteristic of the Burmese. It is to force visitors to lower their eyes when in such near proximity to the Ruler of Land and Sea. Having gone through this ordeal the worshippers at the Golden Feet were ushered into a side room, the floor of which was covered with a gigantic rug or carpet woven in one piece. They were forthwith requested to sit down.

Theebau has not become accustomed to European visitors, and has not yet fallen into the way of keeping them waiting for a few hours. He came almost immediately. Before reclining on the couch, however, he took off his own shoes, a circumstance which the party took to be a compliment. His Majesty gave a hurried glance at them and then asked their names, examining the floor six feet in front of him most searchingly. Having been duly informed, he expressed a hope that they had enjoyed their trip, and that his officers had been properly civil to them. He was assured that the atmosphere of his dominions was particularly pleasant and invigorating, and that the conduct of his "woons" everywhere had been courtesy itself. Theebau then asked after the welfare of his good friend, the Chief Commissioner, and was also solicitous as to the good health of his dear brothers in Calcutta, whom he hoped the British Government was treating in a manner becoming their rank. He said that he was pleased that Mr. Swann was still running his steamers, and he hoped that he would not find it less profitable than in former times, and added that he should instruct his Government to aid the Captains as far as lay in its power. A few other questions and answers passed, politics being carefully avoided, and then Theebau suddenly vanished. His Majesty having granted a private interview, did not put on his court robes, the long surcoat and thrapoo or crown. He was dressed in simple Burman fashion, with a yellow putsoe, or kilt-like waist-cloth, and a white linen jacket. Fixed into his "young," the top-knot into which the hair is tied, was a magnificent spray of diamonds, and a sapphire ring, worth a monarch's ransom, gleaned on his finger. But otherwise the absence of decoration—particularly of the Tsalway, the Burmese order of knighthood—was specially noticeable. In personal appearance, however, he has greatly fallen off. When he succeeded to the throne, October a year ago, he was very handsome; the handsomest Burman in the country, it used to be said, with a bright black eye and smooth olive skin. Now his face is puffed out and bloated, his eyes sunken and dead, his whole appearance unwholesome and repulsive. He seldom looks up, and when he does it is only to give a sidelong glance, and then drop his eyes again. Altogether, for a young fellow of 21, he is the most satisfactory specimen "of a frightful example" for temperance lecturers that I know of.—*Rangoon Corr. of the London News.*

Equine Martyrdom—A Horrible Story.

"Ouida" writes to the *Whitehall Review*: In the *Courier du Centre*, of the Haute-Vienne, there appeared in April of last year a terrible account of a frightful martyrdom of horses in France, a country which has been very well termed by Frenchmen themselves, "*Penfer des chevaux.*" According to this journal, which gives an official account of the facts from M. Sapin, member of the Limoges Society for the Protection of Animals, it appears that some speculators at Bordeaux have thought it well to try and make their fortunes out of that very disgusting object of natural history, the leech. To this end they have made artificial swamps on the banks of the Garonne and filled the swamps with leeches. To be profitable these leeches must multiply themselves by millions. To do this they must be liberally supplied with food. To thus supply them the Bordelais speculators buy up all the old and worn out horses of the province, and drive or drag these horses into the swamps, which are subdivided by wooden compartments so placed that when these unhappy animals have been forced into the mud there is no escape for them. The leeches fasten on them instantly by thousands; the horse is in a few moments black with crawling creatures; the bloodsuckers fix themselves most of all upon the open wounds and galls that these poor horses incurred during their many years of service. An eye-witness describes in terms of horrible vividness the vain struggles of the animals, drawn downward into the mud, bleeding at every pore, striving in frantic terror to shake off the leeches which hang on their eyes, their lips, their nostrils, all their sensitive parts, and at last, exhausted by loss of blood, are sucked down into the noxious slime and seen no more. He adds that all these poor martyrs are bought when they are aged, infirm, weak with overwork, with hunger and with fatigue, and in this pitoeus state they are devoured alive by the annelides. From eighteen to twenty thousand horses are annually sacrificed in this manner at Bordeaux. We execrate the wretched traders who throw the live horses to the bloodsuckers of the swamps: but as guilty as they are all the owners who sell them to the torture. We owe a duty to our horses not less than to our fellow men, nay, *pace* the philanthropists, perhaps we owe a greater, because our horses have done us nothing but honest services. But how do we deal with them for the most part? Let the millions of martyrs of tramway and omnibus work, of dissecting boards and slaughter yards, answer that question with the eloquence of an unpitied agony.

Holiday Presents.

Make your wife a present of a cooking stove or range manufactured at the Albion Iron Works, and you are bound to have a Christmas and New Year's dinner worth eating.

They are the pride of every household and when you go home to your meals, your wife will meet you with a smile and a well-cooked meal.

These are the only stoves that contribute to domestic happiness.

Testimonials without number.

Call and examine for yourself at the manufactory on Store, Chatham and Discovery streets. *

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Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

1880 Valentines 1880.

The present being Leap Year we have just received the finest and most complete assortment of Valentines and Valentine Cards ever imported into the Province; and as usual at moderate prices.

M. W. WAITT & C

PARTICULAR attention is called to the fine Artificial Teeth made at Dr. COOL'S office upon every base known to the profession. *

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Nothing Short of Unmistakable Benefits

Conferred upon tens of thousands of sufferers could originate and maintain the reputation which AYER'S SARSAPARILLA enjoys. It is a compound of the best vegetable alteratives, with the Iodides of Potassium and Iron, and is the most effectual of all remedies for scrofulous, mercurial or blood disorders. Uniformly successful and certain in its remedial effects, it produces rapid and complete cures of Scrofulous Sores, Boils, Humors, Pimples, Eruptions, Skin Diseases and all disorders arising from impurity of the blood. By its invigorating effects it always relieves and and often cures Liver Complaint, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, and is a potent renewer of vitality. For purifying the blood it has no equal. It tones up the system, restores and preserves the health, and imparts vigor and energy. For forty years it has been in extensive use, and is to-day the most available medicine for the suffering sick anywhere. For sale by all druggists. 2dw

MESSRS. BAGNALL & Co. have received by the last steamer sixteen cases of Pianos and Organs by the best German French, American and English makers. These, with Guitars, Banjos, Cornets, Concertinas and Musical Instruments of every kind, they will be glad to exhibit to their customers.

SELLING OFF being the order of the day, I will sell the remainder of my Winter Stock AT COST, consisting in part of Cloth Jackets, Ulsters, Girls' Costumes, Felt and Striped Skirts in great variety, Shawls all Wool and Merino, Hosiery, Dress Goods, &c. Mind the address, J. YORK'S, Fort Street. *

Large Clearing Out Sale of the finest stock of Jewelry ever imported to this Colony. Having determined to close out all articles of Jewelry and also Solid Silver and Electro Plated Ware I now offer my entire stock at COST PRICE. My intention is to continue business in the Watchmaking line only. All goods are marked in plain figures. TERMS CASH.

* G. W. A. LANGE.

THE GREAT CLEARANCE SALE AT LONDON HOUSE WILL CEASE ON THE 14TH INSTANT. AFTER THAT DATE GOODS WILL RESUME THEIR FORMER PRICES.

SHEARS & PARTRIDGE.

February 1st, 1880.

CANADIAN TARIFF.—Copies of the Canadian Tariff for sale at *The Colonist* Stationery Store. Price 12½ cents. *

J. BAGNALL, Pianoforte and Organ tuner and repairer, Government street, Victoria, 27 years' experience. *

THE inventory for the North West Commercial Co. may be seen at the office of W. R. Clarke & Co., Yates street *

CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS for Entry, Outwards, Nos. 48 and 48½, for sale in quantities to suit, at *The Colonist* Stationery Store. *

AUCTION SALES.

TO-MORROW.

Auction Sale

The undersigned have received instructions from the mortgagees, J. H. Turner and Richard Carr, Esqrs., to sell by Public Auction at their Salesrooms, Yates street on

Monday February 16th, 1880,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.,

THE INVERNESS CANNERY

Situate on Skeena River and known as the

NORTH WESTERN COMMERCIAL COMPANY.

The REAL ESTATE comprises One Hundred and Twenty Acres (more or less) and numbered Section (1) Block (1) on the Official Survey or Plan of the Coast District, with Boats, Nets, Tools, Chattels, Buildings, and in fact everything that is necessary for the working of a first-class Cannery.

The Inventory of Plant, &c., may be seen at the office of

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
ja16 Auctioneers.

SPECIAL TRADE SALE.

BRUSHES, BROOMS & BASKETS.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell at salesroom, Wharf St.,

Friday, February 20th, 1880,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

A full assortment of 120 dozen

SCRUB, HORSE, DANDY, STOVE AND SHOE BRUSHES,

Being a straight consignment from the Manufacturers.

BROOMS.

Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Wired and Plain Brooms. WHISPS.

BASKETS.

An invoice of Market, Clothes, Lunch, Butcher's and Nests Baskets.

ON ACCOUNT OF TRESPASS.

By order of Michael Finnerty, Esq., strayed on his Farm, Victoria District, (unless damages and expenses be paid.)

ONE RED COW, with white spots on flank and W cut into one ear. Also, a young Calf.

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J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
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—OF—

400 Town Lots

Comprising the Site of the

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—AT THE—

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IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SALE WITHOUT RESERVE!

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PUBLIC AUCTION

At their Salesrooms, Wharf St., on

MONDAY, MARCH 1ST, 1880,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

All the Lots

Comprising the Site of the

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(Excepting such as shall have been previously disposed of to parties abroad) with the unexampled and invaluable

WATER PRIVILEGES

THERETO PERTAINING.

EMORY is pleasantly situated on the right bank of the Fraser River, at the unobstructed Head of Navigation, the Terminus and Initial Point of Construction of the Canada Pacific Railway in British Columbia.

EMORY is the natural and inevitable entrepôt and outlet for the Mineral, Agricultural, Pastoral and other Resources of the vast interior, and as the Main Station on this side of the Rocky Mountains with the consequent Round-Houses, Machine Shops, Work Shops and Workman's Dwellings, it cannot fail to become one of the most important and prosperous Cities on the PACIFIC SLOPE, while the large influx of Population and the sudden growth of industry incidental to vigorous Railway Construction must insure its becoming the Great Centre of the Commerce and Carrying Trade of British Columbia.

The CITY OF EMORY has been admirably laid out, nearly all the Lots having a Double Frontage, and the Main Streets carrying a uniform width of Sixty-Six Feet throughout.

The circumstance of the Railway Contractors being the principal owners of the Townsite will be a sufficient guarantee for the interests of Emory being well cared for.

There can be no Rival to this the only available Townsite, all the surrounding land being locked up in the Government Railway Reservation.

Four Swift and Commodious Steamers will be placed on the river next season, connecting at New Westminster with the splendid and fast steamers "Princess Louise," "W.G. Hunt" & "Enterprise," thus establishing DAILY STEAMBOAT COMMUNICATION and enabling Passengers, Mails and Freight to reach the Terminus of the Canada Pacific Railway in fourteen hours from Victoria, running time.

Capt. Irving desires us to state that he is now preparing for the immediate construction of WHARF and WAREHOUSE accommodation at the City of Emory to meet the requirements of the immense traffic certain to concentrate there next season.

Mr. Charles Morton is perfecting arrangements and will establish the

EMORY HOUSE

Early next Spring as a first-class Hotel, to meet the requirements of Trade consequent upon the commencement of vigorous Railyay Construct on.

Several large Commercial Firms are preparing to establish themselves at Emory early in the coming season.

MAPS of the City of Emory have been carefully prepared and are now ready for FREE distribution, and every facility will be given intending purchasers for obtaining the fullest information.

TERMS—One-half of the purchase-money to be paid down in cash; the balance in sixty days by approved endorsed notes, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum

DEEDS, giving Indefeasible Title, will be delivered to the purchasers within ten days after the sale, a conveyance fee of $2 50 being charged.

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FOR SALE—TO LET.

SAFE FOR SALE.

A NO. 5 McNEAL & URBAN FIRE AND BURGlar Proof Safe. Enquire of
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ja27 1m Seattle, W. T.

TO LET OR LEASE.

THE HOUSE SITUATED ON PANDORA Avenue at present in the occupation of Mme. Blum, will be for rent on or about March 1st, 1880. It contains nine rooms, viz: Double Parlor, Diningroom, 22 by 14 feet, five Bedrooms, and large Kitchen, Pantry, Closets, etc. Gas and Water laid on. The house will be placed in thorough repair by the above date. Rent low to a suitable tenant.
Apply to C. F. BEAVEN,
Carriage Builder, Pandora Ave., near City Hall.
ja24 1m

SALE OF BUSINESS.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD TO MESSRS. VANvolkenburgh & Co. the business of a butcher carried on by me at Yates street, and known as the Liverpool Market. Thanking my customers for past favors I trust that a continuation of their patronage will be extended to my successors.
JOHN GOODACRE.
Victoria, 21st January, 1880.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE, WE BEG TO state that we shall conduct a butchering business in all its branches, both wholesale and retail, at the above premises, and that the name of the Market will in future be the BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKET. Notwithstanding the severity of the weather, we shall furnish meats at prices which we trust will be satisfactory to the public generally.
VANVOLKENBURGH & CO.
Victoria, 21st January, 1880. ja22dw

FOR SALE.

SAWMILL MACHINERY ALL COMPLETE, INCLUDING CARRIAGE, PULLIES, ROLLERS, Edging Saws, &c., &c.
The above machinery is nearly new, having been in use only two months, and will be sold at a sacrifice.
For further particulars address
E. L. DERBY & CO.,
ja23dw1m Riverside, B.C.

NOTICE.

In the Estate of A. S. BATES, Deceased, Intestate.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE HONorable the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, dated the 8th January, 1880, made herein:
The undersigned will receive Tenders for the Purchase of the undermentioned Real Estate until MONDAY the 8th day of MARCH next, at 12 o'clock noon, viz:—
The Farm known as the "Sugar Cane Ranch," situate near Williams Lake, containing 944 acres (more or less). Title, Crown Grant.
The Farm known as the "Deep Creek Farm," situate at the 161 Mile Post on the Lillooet-Alexandria Waggon Road, containing 1880 acres (more or less). Title, Pre-emption Record. Certificate of Improvement on 480 acres, and Certificate of Purchase of 1400 acres; half purchase money paid.
The Young Pre-emption, situate in the Valley running to Williams Lake, and adjoining the "Lake Valley Ranch, containing 320 acres.
The Farm known as the "Meason Ranch," situate at Head of Williams Lake, adjoining the "Sugar Cane Ranch," containing 300 acres (more or less). Title, Pre-emption Record and Certificate of Improvement for 160 acres, and Certificate of Purchase 200 acres; half paid.
The property known as the "Carpenter Ranch," situate at the 157-Mile Post on the Lillooet-Alexandria Waggon Road. Title, Conveyance from Assignees of Bankrupt Estate of Evans Brothers.
All Buildings, Fences and Improvements situate on or appurtenant to any of the aforesaid lands will be sold therewith.
Before any Tenders can be accepted it must be submitted to a Judge of the Supreme Court for approval.
Any further information and particulars can be obtained upon application to
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 10th Jan., 1880. ja11dw

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AT HARPER'S CAMP, KAMLOOPS,
A LARGE NUMBER OF HORSES,
suitable for Road-Teams, Farm and Cart-work.
Apply to ALEXANDER McLEAN,
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FIVE ACRES OF LAND ON THE SAANICH Road, near the City Limits, suitable for a market garden or nursery. Dwelling House and outhouses attached; two acres under Timothy; all under fence. For particulars apply to
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THE HALF-WAY HOUSE ON THE ESQUIMALT Road. Apply on the premises.
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REMOVAL—THE BUSINESS OF J. BOSCOWITZ has been removed to Rowland's two-story brick building on Johnson street, south side, between Waddington Alley and Wharf street.
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THOS. TROUNCE ARCHITECT, ETC.

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PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREFULLY prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed 2m

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NANAIMO AND VICTORIA ROUTE.

SHIPPERS and the TRAVELING PUBLIC are hereby notified that it is the intention of Capt. Irving to place the
FAST AND COMMODIOUS STEAMER
"WILSON G. HUNT"
On the above route, and Shippers are asked to hold from contracting for a short time until his arrangements for running are completed. Freight for ja23tf

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 73,705 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,133 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	10,603 00	Gold Bullion	11,683 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	86,670 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	2,132 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	240,708 00	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	184,940 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	142,000 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$411,686 00	Total Amount of Assets	$445,888 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 5 per cent per annum.
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ..... $125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend ..... $600,000.
VICTORIA, B. C., 21st Jan., 1880.
(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of Jan., 1880.
ja23 (Signed) R. P. RITHET J. P.

EDUCATIONAL.

THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

WILL RE-OPEN (D. V.) AT 9 O'CLOCK ON Monday morning, 19th January.
Principal, J. B. CHANTRELL,
ja15 Assistant, H. D. CHANTRELL.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

THE LENT TERM WILL COMMENCE ON FRIday, 16th January, at 9 o'clock.
Entrance examination, 1 o'clock the day previous.
Applications for admission, stating age, certificate of good conduct from last school, to be made to me not later than 14th January.
H. HERBERT MOGG, Principal.
Rae street, Victoria. ja10

RE-OPENING.

MRS. JESSOP'S EDUCATION CLASSES FOR Young Ladies will re-open on Monday the 5th inst.
YATES STREET, (BET. QUADRA AND VANCOUVER.)
January 1st, 1880. ja1

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CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.
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WESTMINSTER SD. PLOUGH,
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A FEW OF GRANT'S HAY FORKS ON HAND.
CARTS, WAGONS AND BUGGIES
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It matters not what you troubles may be, come and let the Doctor examine your case. It will cost you nothing for consultation, so please call and satisfy yourselves whether the Doctor understands your case. If he can cure you he will tell you so; if not, he will tell you that, for he will not undertake a case unless he is confident of effecting a cure.
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VICTORIA, B. C. 27th June, 1879.
THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY INforms the public that he is authorized to receive orders for any of the above classified goods, manufactured by W. T. Allen & Co., Art Founders, Engineers and Contractors, No. 2, Somerset Buildings, Lambeth Hill, Upper Thames Street, London. Illustrated Designs of the Goods and prices are to be seen at my rooms, Central Court, Fort street.
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JAS. N. THAIN,
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REV. HERBERT H. MOGG, B. A., Principal Episcopal College.
HENRY MITCHELL, Esq., Nursery and Seedsman.
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GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
Notes in circulation		$255,129 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$153,465 42
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		859 42	Gold Bullion		17,562 66
Deposits not bearing interest	$761,084 38		Landed and other Property		25,910 08
Deposits bearing interest	62,416 25		Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 17,063 95	
		823,500 61	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	417,403 88	
					434,467 83
			All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	711,184 07	
			Do. without the Province	38,787 01	
					749,971 68
Total Amount of Liabilities		$1,079,489 03	Total Amount of Assets		$1,386,385 7

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879 730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 5 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared 43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend 236,22
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
VICTORIA, B. C., 31st Dec., 1879. (Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.
I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 17th day of January, 1880.
ja18 (Signed) J. D. PEMBERTON, J. P.

Corporation of Victoria--Cash Statement for the Year ending 31st Dec., 1879

RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		
Cash on hand 1st Jan., 1879		$ 315 48	Provincial Government—		
Water Works Rents		29,674 90	Account Proportion of Liquor Licenses		$ 1,990 00
Fire Insurance Rate 4th of 1 per cent		3,479 20	Water Works, General Account	$11,087 30	
Fire Insurance Rate Direct Tax		2,400 00	do $100,000 Sinking Fund	2,360 00	
Proceeds of sale of Police Boat		55 00	do $ 50,000 do	1,750 00	
City Pound Fees	$232 85		do $ 20,000 do	412 00	
Refund of a Horse	50 00	282 85	do $100,000 Interest	5,950 00	
Sidewalks—Refunds		100 50	do $ 50,000 do	3,570 00	
Real Estate Tax		25,353 44	do $ 20,000 do	1,600 00	26,729 30
Trades Licenses	$10,925 00		Fire Insurance Rate 4th of 1 per cent		3,142 07
Less, Refund	5 00	10,920 00	do Direct Tax		1,918 11
Wholesale Liquor Licenses	$ 900 00		Streets and Bridges		13,853 79
Retail do do	10,725 00	11,625 00	City Police		9,133 14
Road Tax		2,538 00	Charges—Stories, Advertising, Print'g, &c.		4,655 19
Auctioneers' Rate		804 51	Surveyors' Expenses		712 00
Dog Tax		116 39	Board of Health		171 12
Cow Licenses	$576 50		Street Lighting		2,789 07
Less for Tags	82 50	494 00	Sidewalks—Recoverable		328 57
Billiard Tables		85 00	Sewerage		39 00
Weighing Machine	$281 13		Thistles		10 00
Less Repairs	7 50	273 63	Legal Expenses		460 00
Theatre Tax		122 00	Commission on Collections		202 50
Gravel Sales		38 50	Donations		174 00
Police Court Fines and Fees	$893 60		Discount on Silver		459 00
Less Refund	5 00	888 60	General Interest		880 20
Ross Bay Cemetery Fees	$200 60		City Pound		419 87
Sale of Plots	300 00	530 60	Corporation Debentures—		
W. Leigh		278 80	Sinking Fund	$ 918 00	
Bank Account—Increase of Overdraft		279 40	Interest	1,601 60	2,519 60
			Ross Bay Cemetery—		
			Salary, &c	$257 50	
			Interest	162 40	419 90
			Certificates of Indebtedness Redeemed		3,756 68
			Office Furniture		244 00
			New City Hall		2,772 14
			City Survey		1,063 08
			Gas Company, for Street Lamps		440 00
			M. S. Underwood, for Wooden Pipes		271 25
			Isaac Brlingame do		928 75
			Bank Act., Increase of Balance		344 60
			Cash on hand		227 72
		$81,055 25			$81,055 25

THOS. RUSSELL, Accountant.
J. C. BALES, Auditor.
VICTORIA, B. C., 7th January, 1880.

Corporation of Victoria, 31st December, 1879---Cash Statement.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.		
Uncollected taxes	$9,073 63	Provincial Government—	$	
Bank fire account on deposit	836 35	Proportion of liquor licenses	$3,770	
Sidewalks, recoverable	350 37	Cement for Water Works	1,566	5,336 00
W. Leigh, balance of account	364 83	Bank account, overdraft		1,380 40
Cash on hand	227 72	Fire Insurance rate, balance due		842 16
Balance in part of expenditure not hitherto charged until the following year	3,138 21	Certificates of indebtedness given to cover certain outstanding accounts bearing interest at 7 per cent. per annum		3,742 25
		Sundry small outstanding accounts		930 72
		Salaries for December		1,759 59
	$13,991 11			$13,991 11

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Victoria Water Works--Balance Sheet, 30th November, 1879.

Folio.	ASSETS.		Folio.	LIABILITIES.	
31	Bank B.N.A. Sinking Fund Acct.	$ 14,424 85	27	Interest and Sinking Fund	$ 14,424 85
34	Corporation of Victoria	5,992 04	38	Debenture Account	162,500 00
39	Construction Account	194,424 80	42	Revenue Account	30,326 84
			53	Redeemed Debentures	7,500 00
		$214,751 69			$214,751 69

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J. C. BALES, Auditor.
VICTORIA, B.C., 1st December, 1879.

Statement of Revenue Collected and Disbursed from 1st December, 1878, to 31st December, 1879.--13 Months.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.		
Water Rents Collected	$21,301 40	Construction Account—		
		Main Pipes	$6,187 84	
		Dam & Filters, includ'g cement	4,530 90	
		Compensation Claims	351 00	$10,069 74
		Service Pipes Account		1,221 99
		Charges Account—Maintenance, being repairs to Main Pipes, &c		1,504 72
		Salaries		3,880 00
		Corporation of Victoria		4,024 95
	$21,301 40			$21,301 40

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Commissioner and Accountant.
VICTORIA, B. C., 7th January, 1880.

Interest and Sinking Fund Account.

Nov. 30, 1878. RECEIPTS.		Nov. 30, 1878. DISBURSEMENTS.	
Balance at Cr. of Account	$ 9,268 29	Paid Interest for Coupons presented bet. 1st December, 1878, and 30th Nov., 1879	$10,980 00
Cash received from the Corporation of Victoria, between 1st Dec., 1878, and 30th Nov., 1879, to pay Interest on Loans	10,080 00	Balance to Acct. of Sinking Fund	14,424 85
Do. do. Sinking Fund on Loans	4,604 32		
Interest allowed by Bank British North America on amounts at credit of Sinking Fund	551 74		
	$25,404 85		$25,404 85

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Commissioner and Accountant.
VICTORIA, B. C., 1st December, 1879.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, Victoria, 8th January, 1879.

To the Worshipful the Mayor and City Councillors:—
GENTLEMEN,—In presenting statements of receipts and expenditure, cash assets and liabilities, and ledger balance sheet, I have to direct your attention in particular to the expenditure of 1879. This expenditure, embracing 13 months, includes outstanding accounts for December, 1878, and arrears of previous months, amounting in all to $7,622 37. The Corporation books now contain all known liabilities to 31st December, 1879, therefore, the present Statement shows 13 months' general expenditure and some arrears.
The excess of liabilities as shown on 31st December, 1879, in the Statement of cash assets and liabilities being $3,138 25 only, and the excess of payments during the year $7,622 37, it follows that your affairs are in a sound condition, as without such payments there would be a balance in favor of 1879 of $4,484 16.
As the Cash Statement does not show the actual expenditure on many important accounts to the close of the year the following entries, taken from the transfers to close, will supply that deficiency, *i. e.*,—

Street Repairs	$17,136 36
City Police	9,987 47
Charges	5,152 64
Street Lighting, 14 months	3,846 32
Legal expenses	610 00
Water Works	16,222 13
	$52,954 92

The difference between the actual expenditure as above and the cash expenditure as shown in the Statement is $10,975 83, which will account for the bulk of the liabilities of the Corporation at this date (31st of December, 1879).
I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Yours, most obediently,
J. C. BALES, Auditor.

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NOTICES.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS
In the matter of DAVID HEAL, an Insolvent.
THE UNDERSIGNED (THOS. H. TYE, OF VICtoria,) have been appointed Assignee in this matter.
Creditors are requested to file their claims before me within one month.
THOS. H. TYE,
Trade Assignee.
Victoria, Jan. 6th, 1880. ja7

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS
In the matter of URIAH WARD, an Insolvent.
A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUed in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, in the City of Victoria, B. C., on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1880, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, January 3d, 1880. ja11

NOTICE.
MISS E. JONES, LONDON BAZAAR, HAVING disposed of the business to Mr. T. Carrington, all accounts due her up to December 31st, 1879, must be paid on or before March 1st, 1880. Mr. T. Carrington will receive monies and give receipts for the above accounts. ja22

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
I HAVE THIS DAY ADMITTED MR. JOHN W. FINLAYSON into partnership with with me in my business of Real Estate and Insurance Agent, &c., and the same will in future be carried on under the name of H. P. BEISTERMAN & COMPANY.
H. P. BEISTERMAN.
31st January, 1880. fe1

In the Goods of William Owens, Deceased.
TAKE NOTICE, ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INdebted to or have claims against the Estate of William Owens, late of Cassiar, deceased, are requested to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned and to leave their claims with him.
Victoria, 17th January, 1880.
WM. POLLARD,
Langley st., Victoria, Administrator's Solicitor.
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